# **BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002 Knox , Texas [48275]**

Knox is one of 254 counties in Texas. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2002 population of 3,966 ranked 210th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Knox had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$20,671. This PCPI ranked 178th in the state and was 72 percent of the state average, \$28,835, and 67 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected a decrease of 1.0 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was -0.7 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Knox was \$14,239 and ranked 192nd in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Knox had a total personal income (TPI) of \$81,980\*. This TPI ranked 215th in the state and accounted for 0.0 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Knox was \$68,490\* and ranked 209th in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 2.5 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.1 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 1.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.4 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Knox. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 51.7 percent of TPI (compared with 50.4 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.7 percent (compared with 21.9 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 32.7 percent (compared with 27.7 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings decreased 0.7 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 20.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.9 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 2.1 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 1.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.5 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Knox increased from \$46,863\* in 2001 to \$47,848\* in 2002, an increase of 2.1 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.0 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$39,147\* to the 2002 estimate was 2.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.8 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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